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CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT P 074 976 762

Jay Mealey Crown Asphalt Ridge, LLC 215 South State, Suite 650 Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

Re: Request for Updated Mining and Reclamation Plan, Crown Asphalt Corporation (Crown), Asphalt

Oil Sands Mine, M/047/032, Uintah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Mealey:

We received the letter from Rick Hoggan, Consultant for Crown, on August 25, 1999, requesting an extension to the deadline of August 31, 1999 for receipt of an updated plan and map. The letter requested an extension until September 30, 1999. The main reason for the extension request is that Mr. Wes Norris was initially working on the updated plan and map and he is no longer working for Crown.

The Division will grant the extension for receipt of this information until the close of business on September 30, 1999. In addition to the updated plan and map, the Division requests a monthly chronology for the time span of January 1, 1999 to September 24, 1999, describing activities at the mine site.

The Division has been informed by Uintah County that a working agreement is being considered wherein the County would conduct mining for Crown as a subcontractor. Please keep us appraised of any working agreements regarding the mining operations.

If you have any questions regarding this letter please contact me at (801) 538-5286.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg

Permit Supervisor

Minerals Regulatory Program